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OF THE

TOWN

OF

HANCOCK

FOR YEAR ENDING

February 15, 1902

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TREASURER'S REPORT.

W. F. SYMONDS, Town Treasurer, in account with the Town
of Hancock, Feb. 15, 1902.

DEBTOR.

To cash in Treasurer's hands at close of last settlement,	\$ 995 75	
Received from county for support of county paupers and aid to soldiers,	92 16	
Cemetery lots sold,	18 00	
Dog license money,	135 00	
Whitcomb legacy interest for library,	312 87	
Salina Hills memorial fund, interest,	10 72	
Asa Gordon fund interest,	3 52	
Town Histories sold,	12 50	
State Treasurer :		
Railroad tax,	93 28	
Savings bank tax,	660 57	
Literary fund,	66 30	
Orlando Fogg, collector,	5,417 75	
Orlando Fogg, interest on taxes,	3 40	
	<hr/>	\$7,821 82

CREDITOR.

Paid state tax,	\$ 675 25
County tax,	1,020 55
Treasurer of school district :	
School and supply money,	1,590 95

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Town and County Paupers.

P'd W.J. Hayden board C. P. Parkhurst,	\$28 50
" " " "	12 00
" " " "	7 50
" " " "	29 50
" " " "	19 50

TOWN PAUPER.

P'd H. B. Libbey, board Lydia J. Weston,	78 00
" " " "	26 00
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	\$201 00

AID TO SOLDIER.

Paid G. E. Newell, board E. R. Cram,	6 00
" " " "	7 00
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	13 00

Highways and Bridges.

Paid R. H. Cram, labor,	\$ 23 40
F. N. Clark, "	26 10
C. A. Sheldon,	9 74
W. O. Stearns,	13 25
A. Flagg,	6 00
C. H. Loomis,	9 88
Wm. Welsh,	105 70
R. H. Cram,	35 85
W. O. Stearns,	20 00
A Copeland,	17 76
A. H. Kimball,	15 16
G. W. Upton,	26 55
J. B. Adams,	31 70
J. B. Adams,	13 31

Paid J. E. Cary,	\$15 70
C. F. Fairfield,	5 40
G. M. Wilder,	11 70
J. O. Buswell,	20 00
C. F. Fairfield,	32 82
J. E. Cary,	15 99
P. Cody,	21 31
T. F. Shea,	60 91
A. E. Ware,	18 00
M. A. Parker,	32 70
C. A. Sheldon,	53 57
T. E. Welsh,	15 00
C. H. Loomis,	14 10
J. S. Hayward,	45 00
C. H. Dutton,	22 70
C. E. Cheney,	20 00
E. Mulhall,	45 75
S. S. Fogg,	2 95
W. A. Jaquith,	17 48
A. H. Kimball,	3 20
O. Fogg,	20 40
C. H. Dutton,	4 65
M. A. Parker,	6 20
C. H. Duncan,	35 00
M. T. Whitaker,	3 00
W. O. Stearns,	2 60
M. E. Johnson,	50 00
T. F. Shea,	42 45
A. E. Ware,	1 36
J. O. Buswell,	5 75
Mrs. C. E. Tenney,	1 85
T. F. Shea,	7 50
A. J. Veasey,	10 00
A. Flagg,	12 00
L. J. Carr,	19 65
A. F. Sheldon, bridge plank,	14 25
J. S. Hayward, " "	19 00

Tripp & Tennant, lumber for bridge,	\$45 37	
C. H. Duncan, iron stringers,	26 14	
I. Farrington, snowing county bridge,	1 25	
A. J. Tenney, labor on street,	6 25	
G. W. Warner, repairing road mch.,	5 17	
E. K. Upton, bridge plank,	3 71	
	<hr/>	\$1,172 23

Breaking Roads.

Paid G. H. Rogers,	\$ 2 10	
C. A. Sheldon,	2 15	
W. A. Jaquith,	4 21	
F. N. Clark,	10 95	
M. A. Parker,	5 80	
C. H. Duncan,	5 00	
T. F. Shea,	1 20	
A. E. Ware,	1 59	
A. Flagg,	1 85	
L. J. Carr,	3 00	
J. M. Faulkner,	9 45	
A. J. Veasey,	8 10	
J. B. Adams,	5 40	
John Shea,	7 84	
P. Cody,	4 59	
A. D. Wood,	3 15	
C. H. Loomis,	17 40	
B. F. Knight,	2 25	
C. A. Sheldon,	4 35	
E. Mulhall,	17 70	
E. Edwards,	1 05	
Wm. Welsh,	9 00	
J. E. Cary,	60	
W. O. Stearns,	1 80	
	<hr/>	\$130 53

Miscellaneous Bills.

Paid J. O. Buswell, collector's book and blanks,	\$ 5 41
W. F. Symonds, blanks,	1 10
C. M. Sheldon, Memorial Day,	25 00
C. H. Ware, time and expenses to Nashua,	3 75
C. H. Duncan, setting cemetery stones,	2 50
W. F. Symonds, library money,	432 87
Geo. W. Cummings, printing in- voice,	25 00
Geo. W. Cummings, printing town reports,	28 00
B. L. Talbot, return of births and deaths,	50
G. W. Warner, care of tramps,	6 80
Selectmen, guide boards,	1 40
F. W. Lakin, care of town hall,	3 25
C. H. Duncan, mowing cemetery,	5 00
C. H. Duncan, housing hearse,	5 00
E. H. Taft, return of births and deaths,	75
C. H. Duncan, tuning piano,	2 00
Helen Fowle, land damage,	125 00
Fred Hunt, painting hearse house,	4 20
C. H. Ware, time and expenses to Manchester, Concord and Wilton,	10 00
L. D. Osgood, land damage,	50 00
W. D. Fogg, painting hearse house,	7 55
Lizzie Tyrrel, Hills & Gordon leg- acy int.,	14 24
C. M. Sheldon, damages to sheep by dogs,	12 00
E. Mulhall, damages to sheep by	

dogs,	7 00
G. H. Fogg, wood,	3 30
Selectmen, postage, stationery,	75
W. F. Symonds, stationery, postage, etc.,	4 00
E. J. Kendall, tuition L. J. Morse,	12 00
A. J. Tenney, care street lamps,	5 00
“ “ “ “ “	5 00
“ “ “ “ “	16 00
“ “ “ “ “	18 00
“ “ supplies “ “	8 47
“ “ oil, etc., “ “	6 55
Jane Lindsay, Hubbard leg. int.,	5 00
Huldah Rockwell, “ “ “	5 00
“ “ “ “ “	10 00
“ “ “ “ “	8 00
Mrs. Wm. Hall, “ “ “	16 25
A. D. Colby, “ “ “	5 00
Selectmen, “ “ “	
for C. P. Parkhurst,	10 75
W. D. Fogg, goods for Liscord & Bowen,	42 43
Board of Health for Peter Liscord,	64 00
E. H. Taft, medical attendance,	44 00
E. H. Taft, attendance for Haas family,	20 75
E. H. Taft, vaccination.	25 00
“ “	9 50
A. A. Chestnut, med. attendance,	20 00
B. L. Talbot, attendance for Lindsay family,	35 00
Board of Health, expenses for Mrs. Bowen,	136 94
W. D. Fogg, goods for Henry Bowen,	1 16
Board of Health, expenses for Gilman family,	100 00
Eaton Bros., supplies for Gilman family,	47 29

W. F. Symonds, watering tub,	\$3 00	
Wm. Hall, " "	2 00	
J. F. Eaton, " "	2 00	
G. E. Bales, legal advice.	25 00	
A. Jaquith, watering tub,	3 00	
A. Hill, " "	3 00	
Nellie F. Cummings, tuition Florence A. Hayden,	10 00	
Nellie F. Cummings, tuition Chas. P. Faulkner,	10 00	
Nellie F. Cummings, tuition Grace M. Faulkner,	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$1,531 46

Town Officers.

Paid W. F. Symonds, services as Town Clerk,	\$43 86	
C. H. Ware, Selectman,	61 00	
James O. Buswell, "	53 00	
C. H. Duncan, "	45 00	
Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor,	9 25	
W. F. Symonds, Treasurer,	35 00	
" " " School Dist.,	8 00	
Orlando Fogg, Collector,	55 00	
C. A. Hayward, School Board,	37 00	
C. H. Dutton, " "	30 00	
H. F. Robinson " "	29 50	
W. M. Davis, Board of Health,	20 00	
A. B. Stone, " "	12 00	
C. H. Dutton, " "	9 50	
A. Copeland, agent for town clock,	25 00	
A. J. Tenney, truant officer,	6 00	
J. O. Buswell, policeman,	3 00	
A. F. Woodward, supervisors,	12 00	
Auditors,	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$496 11

Recapitulation.

Money received by treasurer,		\$7,821 82
Money paid out by treasurer:		
Paid state tax,	\$ 675 25	
County tax,	1,020 55	
Treasurer of school district:		
School money,	1,590 95	
Town and county paupers,	201 00	
Aid to soldier,	13 00	
Highway and bridges,	1,172 23	
Breaking roads,	130 53	
Miscellaneous bills,	1,531 46	
Town officers,	496 11	
	<hr/>	\$6,831 08
Balance in treasurer's hands.		<hr/> \$990 74

W. F. SYMONDS, Treasurer.

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and duly vouched and find a balance in the treasurer's hands of nine hundred and ninety dollars and seventy four cents (\$990 74.)

WARNER C. GOODHUE,
MASON T. WHITAKER,

Auditors.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

Valuation of town by invoice taxen April 1, 1901 :

Real estate,.....	\$245,875 00
193 polls,.....	19,300 00
232 horses,.....	11,260 00
22 oxen,.....	1,330 00
578 cows,.....	14,290 00
259 neat,.....	4,208 00
169 sheep,.....	518 00
4 hogs,.....	40 00
7,740 fowls,.....	3,096 00
Bank stock,.....	13,586 00
Money at interest,.....	7,356 00
Stock in trade,.....	5,650 00
Wood and lumber,.....	12,080 00
Mills and machinery,.....	2,500 00

Total valuation

\$341,089 00

Money Raised by Tax.

State tax,.....	\$ 675 75
County tax,.....	1,020 55
Schools,.....	1,300 00
Highways,.....	1,100 00
Interest on town debt,.....	200 00
Lighting streets,.....	75 00
Memorial Day,.....	25 00
Town charges,.....	500 00
Town paupers,.....	100 00

School supplies,.....	\$150 00	
Surplusage,.....	243 18	
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Amount raised by tax,.....		\$5,389 58
Rate per cent. on one hundred dollars, \$1.58.		

Liabilities of the Town.

Hubbard legacy for library,.....	\$1,000 00	
“ “ for town poor,...	1,000 00	
Hadley legacy for library,.....	1,000 00	
S. Margaret Washburn cemetery		
fund,.....	100 00	
Unexpended dog license money,..	116 00	
Literary fund due school district,	66 30	
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		\$3,282 30

Assets of the Town.

Cash on hand,.....	\$990 74	
In the hands of Collector Fogg,...	206 35	
Goods and fixtures in the hands of		
Orlando Fogg,.....	13 28	
244 copies of town history,.....	610 00	
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Total assets,.....		\$1,820 37
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Liabilities over assets,.....		\$1,461 93
Abatement of taxes,.....		\$10 91
Funds held in trust by the town:		
Whitcomb legacy for common,.....	\$ 6,547 10	
“ “ library,.....	10,000 00	
Salina Hills memorial fund,.....	200 00	
S. Margaret Washburn cemetery fund,.....	100 00	
Gordon fund,.....	100 00	

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE H. WARE,
JAMES O. BUSWELL,
CHRISTY H. DUNCAN,

Selectmen of Hancock.

REPORT OF OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Number of county paupers assisted during the year, one.	
Cost of assistance,.....	\$ 85 00
Number of soldiers assisted, one; cost,.....	13 00
Number of town poor assisted, one; cost,.....	104 00

CLARENCE H. WARE,
JAMES O. BUSWELL.
CHRISTY H. DUNCAN,

Overseers of the Poor.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF TOWN COMMON.

W. F. Symonds, Treasurer, in account with the town of
Hancock, Feb. 15, 1902.

DEBTOR.

To cash in treasurer's hands at close of last settlement,	\$72 05	
For rent of horse sheds,	38 00	
" grass, apples and lumber sold,	3 00	
	<u> </u>	\$113 05

CREDITOR.

Paid F. W. Lakin, labor on common,	\$2 04	
B. F. Knight, " "	1 20	
" " " "	2 70	
E. C. Whitaker, " "	60	
W. D. Fogg, arbor vitæ,	5 85	
W. D. Fogg, labor,	2 00	
W. M. Davis, "	1 00	
W. M. Davis, "	1 25	
	<u> </u>	\$16 64
Balance in treasurer's hands,		\$96 41

W. F. SYMONDS, Treasurer.

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH.

At the time of our last annual report the measles existed in town and a case of smallpox was in quarantine at Louis Gilman's. The measles continued to prevail for several weeks, but finally ran their course without serious consequences, nearly fifty persons having had them.

In addition to the above case of smallpox, five others appeared early in the spring. A case was also reported in December which proved to be chicken pox, instead of smallpox. One of the patients, Mrs. Henry Bowen, was taken to Harrisville and cared for there in the hospital during her sickness at the expense of this town. The others were all in the family of Peter Liscord and cared for there under strict quarantine at the expense of the town.

These infected houses were thoroughly fumigated after the recovery of the patients by an agent of the State Board of Health.

Immediate vaccination of all who had been in any way exposed to the disease, and a strict quarantine over the infected houses were the means successfully employed to prevent a further spread of the disease.

One case of scarlet fever came to our notice and three cases of diphtheria were reported to us during the year. The families in which these cases existed were also placed under quarantine and the houses thoroughly disinfected upon the recovery of the patients.

Under these regulations a general epidemic of either of these dread diseases was averted.

While the expense of caring for and controlling these contagious diseases has been large, yet it was unavoidable and far better than to have allowed them to spread farther, at the peril of life and health.

We have endeavored to impartially enforce the vaccination laws concerning school children, but have been

deferred somewhat in a few instances through the prejudices of the parents. We shall continue our present policy in this matter, believing that the law is upon our statute books to be enforced, and furthermore believe that a child not well enough to be vaccinated is too ill to attend school.

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRED M. DAVIS,

Secretary Board of Health.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Our number of schools remain the same. Some of our teachers have been excellent and some poor as has been the case in previous years. The teacher engaged for the fall term in No. 3, although a college graduate proved to be wholly unfitted to teach an ungraded school and gladly resigned at the end of two and one-half weeks. A substitute, Miss Anabel Tenney, was secured for two weeks then a gentleman was engaged to finish the term.

In No. 7 the teacher proved insufficient and the board decided it was best not to open the school after the Fall vacation and gave notice to this effect. A petition was then circulated and signed by nearly every parent in the district to have the teacher returned. The board against their better judgment yielded to the request and the teacher resumed her work. After a short time the parents took their children out of the school so it had to be closed, shortening the term about four weeks. The teacher of the spring term was an unusually excellent one and gave entire satisfaction.

Since we have neither means nor pupils sufficient to have a regular high school and the law now provides for the tuition of those who wish to attend such a school, it would seem wise to change our higher village school so

that it would have largely grammar school studies and the same number of weeks as all the other schools in town have. As the school is now arranged it is very difficult to secure a teacher for it and those obtained are generally unsatisfactory.

Some new geographies have been put into the schools and more of the text books introduced last year have been added.

The school houses in Districts No. 3 and No. 7 need painting at once.

An enlargement of the school room in District No. 3 is also needed to accommodate the increased number of pupils.

Following will be found the roll of honor and statistical table.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

CLARA A. HAYWARD,
HENRY F. ROBINSON,
C. H. DUTTON,

School Board.

ROLL OF HONOR.

PERFECT RECORD FOR THE YEAR.

Nora Coughlan, Herbert Bradstreet.

FALL TERM.

Elsie Ware, Harvey Ware, Ralph Adams.

WINTER TERM

Herbert Sheldon.

SPRING TERM.

Charles Wood,	Agnes F. Hayward,
Willie M. Hanson,	Edythe M. Dutton,
Francis A. Welch,	Eleanor Stearns,
Grace Mulhall,	Charles Adams,
Helen E. Coughlan,	Joanna A. Coughlan,
Edward M. Coughlan.	

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Schools.	Terms.	NAMES OF TEACHERS.	Weeks of Second.	Number of Pupils.		Average Attendance.	No of Visits by School Board.		No of Visits by Citizens.	Wages per Month.
		Primary.								
1	Fall	Nellie M. Welch.....	17	28	18	8	33			\$30 00
	Spring	Nellie M. Welch.....	10	23	20	6	17			30 00
		Grammar.								
	Fall	Eva M. Whalen.....	10	19	15	9	47			32 00
1	Winter	William H. Hodge.....	10	25	16	10	22			44 00
	Spring	William H. Hodge.....	10	9	7 3-5	8	23			36 00
	Fall	Nellie L. Wyman.....	16	25	21	7	23			28 00
2	Spring	Ethel M. Burt.....	11	25	22	5	23			28 00
	Fall	Flora Hidden.....	15½	33	13	5	23			28 00
3	Spring	J. E. Whittemore.....	11	16	14	8	28			32 00
		L. Anabel Tenney.....								28 00
	Fall	Lillian Murray.....	12	14	11	5	13			28 00
7	Spring	Myra E. Warburton.....	11	15	11	7	18			28 00
	Fall	Helen F. Otis.....	16	16	11 1-7	3	7			28 00
9	Spring	Helen F. Otis.....	11	17	14	4	21			28 00

Number of children between 5 and 16 years of age reported by truant officer—boys, 59; girls, 62.

SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER'S REPORT.

W. F. SYMONDS, Treasurer, in account with the School District in Hancock, Feb. 15, 1902.

DEBTOR.

Money in treasurer's hands at close of last settlement,	\$ 23 55	
Received of town treasurer, school money,	1,440 95	
Received of town treasurer, school supply money,	150 00	
		<u>\$1,614 50</u>

CREDITOR.

Paid C. E. Junkins,	\$40 00
" "	60 00
Nellie M. Welsh,	30 00
" "	30 00
" "	15 00
" "	32 00
" "	32 00
" "	40 00
Helen Otis,	84 00
" "	77 00
Estelle Rogers,	34 00
" "	34 00
" "	17 00
Jessie Lynch,	28 00
" "	28 00
" "	28 00
W. H. Hodge,	45 00
" "	45 00
Ethel Burt,	77 00
Rachel T. Emery,	28 00
" "	28 00
" "	28 00
L. Anabel Tenney,	77 00
Myra Warburton,	28 00
" "	49 00
Florence Dayton,	35 00
" "	49 00
	<hr/> \$1,098 00

Miscellaneous Bills.

Paid C. E. Junkins, sawing wood,	\$ 2 10
E. Weston, wood and labor,	6 75
" " etc.,	7 00
W. O. Stearns, wood,	6 50
C. H. Dutton, " "	6 00

H. F. Robinson,	wood,	\$19 50
A. F. Sheldon,	"	4 00
C. M. Sheldon,	"	15 75
G. W. Chamberlain,	"	1 25
"	"	1 10
John Brennan,	carrying scholars,	4 50
M. V. B. Elliott,	"	16 50
J. S. Hayward,	"	15 00
John Brennan,	"	15 00
W. A. Jaquith,	"	15 00
J. S. Hayward,	"	15 00
M. V. B. Elliott,	"	16 50
John Brennan,	"	13 50
J. S. Hayward,	"	24 00
W. A. Jaquith,	"	13 50
Mrs. T. E. Welsh,	cleaning school house,	
etc.,		1 50
M. A. Coughlan,	"	1 00
Nellie Quinn,	"	1 50
Mrs. M. J. Cram,	"	1 00
R. H. Cram,	repairs,	3 55
F. A. Wood,	"	27 29
T. A. Wood,	"	49 50
A. J. Tenney,	" etc.,	1 50
C. L. Otis,	"	25
C. H. Dutton,	express, etc.,	1 62
Harvey Ware,	janitor, etc.,	12 00
"	"	10 00
W. H. Hodges	"	10 00
Mrs. B. Powers,	cleaning school house,	8 36
H. W. Eldridge,	printing cards,	2 00
C. A. Hayward,	express, etc.,	1 05
"	"	2 30
"	supplies, etc.,	85
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		\$353 72

School Supplies.

Paid Ginn & Co.,	\$21 30	
" " "	59 27	
" " "	8 25	
Silver, Burdett & Co.,	12 80	
Werner School Book Co.,	96	
Oliver Ditson & Co.,	83	
American Book Co.,	7 59	
W. D. Fogg,	12 08	
" "	17 91	
" "	15 00	
C. A. Hayward,	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$156 99

Summary.

Money received by treasurer,		\$1,614 50
Money paid out by treasurer:		
Paid teachers,	\$1,098 00	
School supplies,	156 99	
Miscellaneous bills,	353 72	
	<hr/>	\$1,608 71
Balance in treasurer's hands,		<hr/> \$5 79
W. F. SYMONDS, Treasurer.		

We, the undersigned, have examined the foregoing accounts and find them correctly cast and properly vouched and find a balance in the treasurer's hands of five dollars and seventy-nine cents, (\$5.79.)

WARREN C. GOODHUE,

MASON T. WHITAKER,

Auditors.

LIBRARY REPORT.

We submit the following report of the condition of the Town Library for the year ending February 16, 1902:

Number of volumes in the Library Feb. 15, 1901,	4,055
Number donated,	14
Number purchased,	159

Number bound,
Number Feb. 16, 1902,

25
4,253

WM. F. SYMONDS,
C. H. WARE,
C. H. DUTTON,
Trustees of Library.

W. F. SYMONDS, in account with Town Library, Feb. 16,
1902.

DEBTOR.

Received interest on loan,	\$ 20 00	
To money in my hands Feb. 15, 1901,	235 42	
Money loaned on note and mortgage,	500 00	
Received interest on legacies fund,	432 87	
“ for fines on books,	38	
	————	\$1,188 67

CREDITOR.

Paid T. F. Shea for wood,	\$ 10 00	
Freight on books,	1 96	
Lewis Hunt, labor and hardware on book case,	3 45	
C. M. Sheldon, lumber for book case,	6 33	
C. H. Duncan, wood,	8 75	
Binding magazines and books,	23 00	
Painting and varnishing book case,	1 75	
Time and expenses to Manchester and Concord for legacy interest,	5 00	
For magazines and papers,	37 50	
For books purchased,	186 50	
A. Copeland, fixing clock,	50	
Fred Lakin, sawing wood,	3 75	
C. H. Ware, piling wood,	2 50	
C. H. Ware, extra labor in library,	10 00	
Supplies for library,	9 27	
Librarian's services,	100 00	
Trustees' services,	31 00	
	————	\$441 26
Balance in my hands Feb. 16, 1902,		\$747 41 .

W. F. SYMOMDS, Treasurer,

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the Town of Hancock for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date of Birth.	Name of the child (if any.)	Sex.	Living or stillborn.	No. of child, 1st, 2d, &c.	Color.	Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Color of parents.	Residence of parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of Mother.
May 2	Robert D. Warner	M	L	2	W	George H. Warner	Mattie B. Lakin	W	Hancock.	Blacksmith	Wybridge, Vt.	Hancock
June 25	Mary Agnes Coughlan	"	"	8	"	James F. Coughlan	Mary A. Harrington	"	"	Farmer	Ireland	"
July 18	Simon W. Haas	"	"	3	"	Simon Haas	Christina Scharlse	"	"	Farmer	Switzerland	Austria
Aug. 4	Annie M. R. Allen	"	"	1	"	Sidney D. W. Allen	Naud C. Russell	"	New York	Salesman	Sacramento, Cal.	Canada
Sept. 10	Almus D. Woodard	"	"	3	"	Almus F. Woodard	Sadie M. Dickey	"	Hancock	Hotel keeper	Townsend, Mass.	New Boston
Nov. 10	Charles A. Brunell	"	"	3	"	Joseph H. Brunell	Minnie D. Foe	"	"	Farmer	Canada.	Lowell, Mass.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hancock for the Year ending December 31, 1901.

Date and Place of marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of Groom & Bride.	Occupat'n of Groom & Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupat'n.	Name, Residence, and Official Station of Person by whom married.
January 12 Hancock	Peter Michaud Annie Liscord	Hancock "	25 17	Farmer Housek'per	Canada "	Deilleaune Michaud Aubline Engellier Peter Liscord Rosa Counter	Canada " " "	Farmer Farmer	Chas. H. Chapin Clergyman Hancock
June 25 Hancock	Harry E. Gardner Annie L. Symonds	Hanover, Mass Hancock	29 26	Teacher Mu Teacher	Scituate, Mass Hancock	John D. Gardner Bethia Foster Wm. F. Symonds	Scituate, Mass. Hanover, Mass. Hancock	Shoemaker Farmer	Chas. H. Chapin Clergyman Hancock
July 11 Antrim	Alvarez G. Brooks Clarrie K. Pike	" Antrim	31 44	Farmer Dressmaker	" Antrim	Abbie M. Washburn Zopher W. Brooks Eliza Gordon Anni R. C. Pike	" " Henniker Portsmouth Antrim	Farmer	Orlando M. Lord Clergyman Antrim
September 3 Hancock	William W. Hayward Alice M. Tuttle	Hancock "	21 20	Clerk Housek'per	Hancock "	Margaret W. Gregg James S. Hayward Nellie F. Wheeler Otis Tuttle	Hancock Ashby, Mass. Hancock "	Farmer Farmer	Chas. H. Chapin, Clergyman, Hancock
October 23 Manchester	Napoleon Brunell Amelia Levine	" "	23 23	Laborer Mill hand	Canada Syracuse, N.Y.	Nellie J. Baldwin Noe Brannell Louise Morard George Levine Mary Leduc	Canada " France "	Farmer	John Brophy, Clergyman Manchester
December 24 Hancock	Clark S. Ellenwood Mabel M. Sheldon	" "	34 29	Carpenter Housek'per	Deering Hancock	James S. Ellenwood Rachel Turner Alvin F. Sheldon Addie E. Thompson	Deering Milford Hancock Antrim	Farmer Farmer	Chas H. Chapin, Clergyman, Hancock

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hancock, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1901.

Date of death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Sex.	D	Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.				Father.	Mother.		
Feb. 19	Julia Cuddihoe	82			M	M	Housewife	Ireland	Ireland	Toby Carney	Mary Sweeney
Mar. 25	Edward P. Bugbee	21	8	14	F	S		Hancock	New Ipswich	Clinton P. Bugbee	Hannah J. Weston
May 24	Julia R. Copeland	90	7	11	F	W	Housewife	Franklin, Mass	Franklin, Mass	Liba Richardson	Hulda Thompson
May 30	Mary Jane Brown	66	8	11	F	W	Housewife			Samuel Bonette	Margaret Rabeton
July 19	Edner Bonette	9	5	2	F	W		Concord	Canterbury	Charles C. Moody	Lois F. Danforth
Aug. 4	Gertrude F. Moody	12	7	9	M	W					
Aug. 8	David Inbe				M	M	Housewife	Salsbury	Wilmot	Isaac Jones	Jane Bean
Sept. 23	Mary E. Buswell	49	7	15	M	W				William Parkhurst	Sarah Ball
Nov. 8	Christher P. Parkhurst	91	28		M	M	Farmer	Hancock	Hancock	Charles Hayward	Ann Lakin
" 11	James S. Hayward	56	10	18	F	W	Housewife	"	Marlow	David Hunt	Lucinda Matthews
" 23	Caroline L. Chase			97	F	W					
*Apr. 27, 1900	Dorcas Bigelow	85	8	1	F	W				Henry Holmes	
*Mar. 11, 1901	Uah T. Crowell	36	2	10	M	M				Robert Cowell	Margaret Loyde
*Apr. 8, 1901	John C. Wilkins	59	5	17	M	M				Calvin Wilkins	Almira Chandler
*July 21, 1901	Catherine M. Gilchrist	72	1	4	F	M					

*Brought to Hancock for burial

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief
WILLIAM F. SYMONDS, Town Clerk.

List of Books Added to Library for 1891,'92.

Aftermath. J. L. Allen.	823-955
Alabama Arbitration. T. W. Balch.	819-210
Animals, Chapter of. P. G. Hamerton.	819-202
American Revolution. Vol. 1. J. Fisk.	900-388
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Amos Judd. J. A. Mitchel.	823-992
Atlanta to the Sea. B. A. Dunn.	823A489
Babs. S. Grand.	823-938
Bears of Blue River. C. Major.	823A491
Before the Dawn. P. Noble.	823-977
Benefactress.	823-945
Black Rock. R. Connor.	823A508
Blannerhassett. C. F. Pidgin.	823-984
Blue grass and Rhododendron. J. Fox.	823-947
Bob, Son of Battle. A. Ollivant.	823A501
Bobs and Kruger. Unger.	910-334
Bow of Orange Ribbon. Barr.	823-991
Boy of Old Japan. Van Bergen.	823A517
Bright Days in Merrie England. Honeyman.	910-333
Caleb Wright. Habberton.	823-975
Candle Lightin' Time. P. L. Dunbar.	821-117
Cardigan. R. W. Chambers.	823-990
Carolina Cavalier. Eggleston.	823-999
Cavalier. Cable.	823-985
Century of American Diplomacy. J. W. Foster.	900-390
Circumstance. Mitchell.	823-946
Colony of Girls. Willard.	823A514
Conspiracy of Pontiac. Vol. 1. Parkman.	900-377
Conspiracy of Pontiac. Vol. 2.	900-378
Crisis. Churchill.	823-995
Critical Period of American History. J. Fisk.	900-386
Daughter of Huguenots. E. W. Champney.	823-980
Dri and I. Bacheller.	823-956
Eternal City. H. Caine.	823-1001

Far Above Rubies. G. McDonald.	823-935
Farthest North. Nansen.	910-329
First Man in the Moon. H. G. Wells.	823A515
Flood-Tide. S. M. Green.	823-964
Fireside Sphinx. Repplier.	819-206
Flowers and Ferns. M. O. Wright.	500-180
Friend with the Countersign. Benson.	823-959
Frontenac and New France. Parkman.	900-385
Four on a Farm. M. P. W. Smith.	823A505
Found Yet Lost. E. P. Roe.	823A516
Gentleman from Indiana. Tarkington.	823-966
Genuine Girl. J. G. Lincoln.	823A496
George Strong. Richards.	823-981
Hiwa. E. P. Dole.	823-936
Half Century of Conflict. Vol. 1. Parkman.	900-379
Half Century of Conflict. Vol. 2. Parkman.	900-380
Heir of Sherburne. A. M. Douglass.	823-948
Helmet of Navarre. Runkle.	823-998
History of Hampton Falls, N. H.	900-392
History of Troy, N. H.	900-391
History of Milford, N. H.	900-393
Impediment. D. Gerard.	823-940
Isle of the Shamrock, C. Johnson.	910-332
Jack and Jill. L. M. Alcott.	823A509
Jacknapes. Ewing.	823A510
Jessamy Bride. F. F. Moore.	823-1002
Jesuits in North America. Parkman.	900-381
Kentucky Cardinal. Allen.	823-958
Kings of the Platform and Pulpit. Landon.	819-201
Kim. Kipling.	823-983
Lazarre. M. H. Catherwood.	823A513
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Last of the Arawaks. Ober.	823A511
Letters from My Mill. Dandet.	819-203

Lewis and Clark. Lighton.	920-449
Life of Robert L. Stevenson. Vol. 1. Balfour.	920-247
Life on the Stage. C. Morris.	920-251
Li'e Everlasting. Fisk.	824-108
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Lives of the Hunted. Thompson.	500-178
Lords of the North. A. C. Lant.	823--939
Lore of Cathay. Martin.	910--336
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Making of an American. Riis.	823-970
Making of Jane. S. B. Elliott.	823A498
Man from Glengary. R. Conner.	823-965
Marietta. Crawford.	823-949
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Marrow of Tradition. O. W. Chestnut.	823A493
McKinley, William. Life of. Halstead.	920-254
Memories of a Musical Life. W. Mason.	920-253
Memorial Address by F. G. Clarke.	819-211
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Mighty Deep. Giberne.	500--179
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Modern Blacksmithing. Holmstron.	819--209
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New England Homestead.
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